

TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. §371

U.S. APPLICATION NO.
(If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

09/11/7215

International Application No.
PCT/BE97/00008

International Filing Date
January 11, 1997

Priority Date Claimed
January 25, 1996

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Title of Invention
PRINTABLE FILM

Applicant(s) For DO/EO/US
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. §371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. §371.
3. ☒ This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. §371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. §371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4. ☒ A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(2))
 - a. ☒ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). ENCLOSURE G
 - b. ☐ has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)
6. ☐ A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(2)).
7. ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(3)).
 - a. ☒ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). ENCLOSURE B
 - b. ☐ have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(4)).
9. ☒ A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 USC §371(c)(3)) ENCLOSURE E.

Items 10. to 13. below concern other document(s) or information included:

10. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
11. ☒ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
12. ☒ A FIRST preliminary amendment.
☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
13. ☒ Other items or information: EXPLANATION RE DECLARATION; FRONT PAGE OF PUBLISHED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION WO97/27064 (ENCLOSURE A); INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT AND ENGLISH VERSION THEREOF (ENCLOSURE C); INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION REPORT (ENCLOSURE D); AND FORM PCT/IB/306 RE CHANGE OF ADDRESS (ENCLOSURE F).

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292/30.35.3714. ☒ The following fees are submitted

CALCULATIONS

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BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)):☒ Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO..... \$ 930.00☐ Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO..... \$1,070.00**ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =**

\$ 930.00

Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than ☐ 20 ☐ 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).

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Claims

Number Filed

Number Extra

Rate

Total Claims

15 -20 =

0

X \$22.00

\$

Independent Claims

2 - 3 =

0

X \$82.00

\$

Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable)

+ \$270.00

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TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =

\$ 930.00

Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity, if applicable. Verified Small Entity Statement must also be filed. (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)

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SUBTOTAL =

\$ 930.00

Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than ☐ 20 ☐ 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).

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TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =

\$ 930.00

Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40 per property +

\$ 40.00

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =

\$ 970.00

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Amount to be refunded

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a. ☒ A check in the amount of \$970.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.b. ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-0975 in the amount of \$_____ to cover the above fees.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.c. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.**NOTE:** Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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